

Morgantown Police Department

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"DUI Crash with Injuries Under Investigation"

On November 12, 2015 Officers of the Morgantown Police Department Responded to a reported motor vehicle crash on Van Voorhis Road and Burrows Street. Upon arrival officers found a motor vehicle crash involving four motor vehicles. Witnesses reported that the driver of a white in color 2010 F-150 truck run the red light at the intersection and strike a 2007 Toyota Corolla resulting in a crash with a 2006 Jeep Wrangler and a 2015 Dodge Ram. The driver the F-150 attempted to flee the scene but was pursued by a citizen and detained.

A total of four motor vehicles were involved in the crash resulting in three individuals being transported to Ruby Memorial Hospital for treatment for non-life threatening injuries (contusions, lacerations and broken bones) sustained during this crash.

The suspect has been identified as James Alexander HAMILTON, 24 years of age of Beaver Pennsylvania and is pending charges for DUI resulting in injury and leaving the scene of an accident.

The Morgantown Police Department is committed to its goal of eliminating criminal activity in our city. Citizens are encouraged to become a "Partner in Policing", by reporting suspected criminal activity to Morgantown Police Department Switchboard at (304) 284-7522. If you need immediate Police attention or a crime is in progress call 911.

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